

## Message Text

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ACTION NEA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 OPR-02 A-01 SS-15 NSC-05 PRS-01  
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-----125613 221452Z /50

R 220930Z DEC 77  
FM USINT BAGHDAD  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5404  
INFO USIA WASHDC  
AMEMBASSY JIDDA  
AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE BAGHDAD 2255

EO11652 NA  
TAGS: PROP, IZ, US  
SUBJECT: PRESIDENTS TRIP: USIA COVERAGE

1. WIRELESS FILE OF DECEMBER 20 CARRIES IPS WHITE HOUSE  
CORRESPONDENTS ARTICLE ON PRESIDENTS TRIP, QUOTING A HIGH  
OFFICIAL WHO DESCRIBES IRAN AS PLAYING A "SIGNIFICANT  
OFFSETTING ROLE TO IRAQI RADICALISM."

2. FACT OF IRAQI RADICALISM IS NOT QUESTIONED, NOR IS POSSIBILITY  
THAT IRAN PLAYS AN OFFSETTING ROLE, BUT FROM OUR NARROW  
PERSPECTIVE WE WONDER WHETHER THAT ASPECT OF PRESIDENTS VISIT  
MERITS BEING STRESSED IN EITHER IRAN OR SAUDI ARABIA.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
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**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
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